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Amendments

In the Title:

Please substitute the following Title of the Invention for the pending Title of the
Invention: Cathode Arc Source with Magnetic Field Generating Means Positioned Above
and Below the Cathode.

In the Specification:

Please add the following lines/paragraphs/subheadings at the respective locations in the
specification:

Please insert the following at page 1, line 2:

This application is a Continuation-In-Part of U.S. Application No. 09/230,354,
now abandoned, which is a National Phase Application of PCT/GB97/01992.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please insert the following at page 2, line 26:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION